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**PART I**

**Section i**



GOVERNMENT OF KERALA

**Law (Legislation-Publication) Department**

NOTIFICATION

No. 12032/Leg.Pbn.2/2016/Law.

*Dated, Thiruvananthapuram, 2nd June 2016.*

The following Ordinance, promulgated by the President and published in the Gazette of India, Extraordinary, Part II, Section I dated the 24th day of May, 2016 is hereby republished for general information.

By order of the Governor,

A. C. FRANCIS,  
*Joint Secretary.*

**MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE**  
**(Legislative Department)**

*New Delhi, the 24th May, 2016/Jyaistha 3, 1938 (Saka)*

**THE INDIAN MEDICAL COUNCIL (AMENDMENT)  
ORDINANCE, 2016**

(ORDINANCE No. 4 OF 2016)

Promulgated by the President in the Sixty-seventh Year of the Republic of India.

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ORDINANCE*

*further to amend the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956.*

WHEREAS Parliament is not in session and the President is satisfied that circumstances exist which render it necessary for him to take immediate action;

Now, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by clause (1) of article 123 of the Constitution, the President is pleased to promulgate the following Ordinance:—

**1. Short title and commencement.**—(1) This ordinance may be called the Indian Medical Council (Amendment) Ordinance, 2016.

(2) It shall come into force at once.

**2. Insertion of new section 10D.**—In the Indian Medical Council Act, 1956 (102 of 1956) (hereinafter referred to as the principal Act), after section 10C, the following section shall be inserted, namely:—

**“10D. Uniform entrance examination for undergraduate and post-graduate level.**—There shall be conducted a uniform entrance examination to all medical educational institutions at the undergraduate level and post-graduate level through such designated authority in Hindi, English and such other languages and in such manner as may be prescribed and the designated authority shall ensure the conduct of uniform entrance examination in the aforesaid manner :

Provided that notwithstanding any judgment or order of any court, the provisions of this section shall not apply in relation to the uniform entrance examination at the undergraduate level for the academic year 2016-2017 conducted in accordance with any regulations made under this Act in respect of State Government seats (whether in Government medical college or in a private medical college) where such State has not opted for such examination.”.

**3. Amendment of section 33.**—In section 33 of the principal Act, after clause (*ma*), the following clause shall be inserted, namely:—

“(mb) the designated authority, other languages and the manner of conducting of uniform entrance examination to all medical educational institutions at the undergraduate level and post-graduate level;”.

PRANAB MUKHERJEE,  
*President.*

DR. G. NARAYANA RAJU,  
*Secretary to the Govt. of India.*

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